SECOND EDITION.

Wednesday, September 30, 1891.

DESERET EVENING NEWS.

Copy for advertisements which are expected to appear in the Deseret News on the following morning should be handed in to the business department not later than 8 p. m.

Terms of advertising furnished upon application.

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FRAGMENTS.

JUDGE ZANE had a quiet morning in his court.

NOTARIES sitting in the United States Commissioners' courts.

A PONY EXPRESS has been re-established at Oasis Creek, Davis county, Utah, with Joseph S. Mathews as postmaster.

J. T. HAYES, William Williams, George Brown and John Frisch are in jail on suspicion.

The case of Hanneman vs. Estrick, which involves a partnership accounting, is again on before Referee Merritt.

A KISS will be held in the social Hall Tuesday and Wednesday evenings next week. The particulars will be advertised later.

DAVID K. FLYGER, of this city, and Lizzie M. Miller, of Big Cottonwood, were united in marriage yesterday afternoon by Commissioner Norrell.

THE Third Ward Mutual Improvement Association will meet this evening and elect officers for the ensuing year. A full attendance is requested.

LOOK out for the entertainment in the Tenth Ward meeting house this evening, on behalf of the funds of the Ward Sunday School, on Friday evening next.

WILLIAM G. GULLEY, of Mill Creek, died early this morning of injured liver. The funeral will be held Friday, Oct. 2nd, at 2 o'clock p. m.

THERE are messages at the Western Union Telegraph office for Sister Prudence and Commissioner company, Fred. Allard.

JOHN WELCH and Ed. Smith were fined $5 each by Justice Jennings for drunkenness. A fine of six was imposed on Ed. Sweeny for a similar offence.

GEORGE BARNHAM arrested a Chinaman about noon today for stealing a couple of canvas from the Salt Lake Hardware company's store. He gave his name as Charlie Lee.

DETECTIVE HOOD L. GLEAN left for Portland this morning to bring back Clemens, the defaulting numerator, who recently left Salt Lake after drawing pay and leaving time unpaid.

MORMON missionaries receive a visit from men who are going around the city with samples of washing powder, which will do well to be on their guard. They have no house signs in view.

A BICYCLE was thrown from his wheel at the intersection of Second and First South streets this afternoon, and narrowly escaped being run over by a Rapid Transit car.

JUDGE ZANE took into court this afternoon, made one small order and then adjourned until tomorrow morning, at the day's cases on his list having been run through.

MARRIAGE licenses were granted today by County Clerk Allen to Nils Lundgren and Amanda Jensen, Charles Hilton and Vilate Scott, Fowler, Thomas H. Nutt, Jr., and Agnes Melvenia, Robert Reed and Pearl E. Tredgold.

The Salt Lake Power, Light & Heating company has brought suit against George Webb and A. Meyer for the sum of $195.30, alleged to be due plaintiff on a promissory note and chattel mortgage executed by defendants.

GEORGE HAWKS, who was convicted at Provo yesterday of an assault upon Jerusha Jones, was brought down to this city last evening by Deputy Marshal Parsons and taken to the penitentiary.

THE funeral services over the remains of Mrs. Emeline M. Benedict, mother of Dr. Benedict, whose death occurred in this city yesterday, will be held at the residence, No. 315 South Fourth Second, at 2 o'clock tomorrow (Tuesday).

J. J. FRAWN, the proprietor of the Wave saloon, appeared before Justice Cox this afternoon to answer to the charge of exhibiting a deadly weapon. The defendant was represented by Judge Powers, but as the prosecuting witness failed to put in an appearance, the case was dismissed.

We regret to announce the death of the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Moyses, of this city, aged six months and two weeks. The little fellow had laid in a comatose condition for two days and finally passed away without suffering. The proposed surgical operation was not made, the physicians having decided that nothing could be gained by it.

JUDGE ANDERSON was occupied the whole morning trying an action for damages ($10,000 against the Salt Lake City Railroad company, for personal injuries alleged to have been sustained by a passenger named Elizabeth Hooper, in September of last year. The jury was reported in our Third District court item.

In the "Stages of life" to be rendered by the Home Dramatic club Saturday afternoon and evening, Mr. Wells assumes the part of a corpse—something he has done in a ghostly way on the boards of the play. The sale of seats for matinee and all the other nights of the fair and entertainment season opens Friday.

It will be well for the property owners of the city to take cognizance of the ordinance passed by the City Council last night, making it compulsory to remove weeds from the sidewalks in front of all premises. The penalty for failing to comply with this ordinance is a fine of not less than $10 nor more than $25. The ordinance takes effect in ten days.

The Deseret Hospital.

A special meeting of the Board of directors of the Deseret Hospital will be held at the Hospital building on Friday, October 2nd, at 2 o'clock p.m. All the members of the board are urgently requested to be present.

E. R. WELLS, Secretary.

Probate Court.

The following business was transacted today before Judge Boreman:

Estate and guardianship of Seth Hinton et al., minors; return of sale of personal property, same on regularity. Proof of posting approved. William S. Parkes sworn and examined. Order made confirming sale.

Estate of Thomas Green, deceased; return of sale of real estate made on regularity. Proof of posting approved. Benedict Green sworn and examined. Order made confirming sale.

Estate and guardianship of Jaculin Young et al., minors; confirmed to Oct. 3, 1891.

Estate of Mary E. Henry, deceased; bond of administrator in $200 approved. Order made appointing appraisers; order of publication of notice to creditors made.

Estate of Frank Crocker, deceased; continued to Oct. 2, 1891.

THIRD DISTRICT COURT.

Action Against the City Railroad Company.—The U. P. to Pay $1500 Damages.

The damage suit of Elizabeth Hooper, plaintiff, vs. the Salt Lake City Railroad company, defendant, partly heard yesterday afternoon, was resumed this morning, before Judge Anderson in the Third District court, the sum claimed being $10,000 and costs of suit. On the 16th of Sept., 1890, Mrs. Hooper was a passenger on one of the company's cars, and it is alleged that when proceeding along Main street the driver observed the position of the car with such carelessness, and without warning, that the plaintiff was thrown from her seat to the floor, sustaining such injury to the side, face and other parts of the body, and also internally, as to lay her up for some time, she being a delicate young lady, from the effects of which she has not yet entirely recovered.

Nearly the whole of the morning was occupied with the examination of the plaintiff's witnesses, and shortly before the court adjourned at noon the defense opened.

DEFENSE FOUGHT HARD.

Defendants answer et al. vs. John Wilson et al., suit to partition, adversed and submitted, motions to answer withdrawn.

John M. Dow vs. Henry Grow; on motion of defendant, dismissed without prejudice to plaintiff, who was not ready for trial.

James H. Hughes et al. vs. Lorenzo Neadham et al.; passed by consent.

James H. Kennedy et al. vs. George A. Mann; decree granted and signed per stipulation.

George A. Sears vs. Alfred Thompson et al; decree granted in accordance with stipulation.

James S. Kennedy et al. vs. John A. Groesbeck; decree granted by agreement in court.

Dalziel vs. John W. Young et al. The demurrer in this case having been heretofore confirmed and fifteen days granted to answer, now comes Lewis Grant Young, attorney for defendants, and asks that "fifteen days be allowed" be stricken from above order and that the order stand as time "Defendants to complain," and that he have the opportunity to again demur to complaint which is so drawn that he cannot answer and demur. The court granted the request.

YESTERDAY AFTERNOON.

The trial of the case of Frank E. Boyer vs. the Union Pacific Railroad company, in which the plaintiff claims $5000 damages for an injury to the foot while bathing at Garfield Beach on June 12th, 1890, commenced late yesterday afternoon.

The jury after deliberating for a short time found a verdict for the plaintiff and awarded him $1500. The facts were fully reported in yesterday's NEWS.

THE GRAND JURY.

The grand jury presented seven indictments under territorial laws, and reported that they had ignored the cases of John Barnes, charged with grand larceny, and A. Meyer, charged with entertainment.

MORE PETIT JURORS WANTED.

A venire for five additional petit juries was issued and made returnable this morning.

WANTS DAMAGES.

The case of Edward G. Hooper et al. vs. the Salt Lake City Railway Company was next taken up, and the trial was in progress when court adjourned. In this case the plaintiff sues to recover damages for injuries alleged to have been sustained by his wife while riding in one of the defendant company's cars at the time of the street car strike last year.

ADJOURNED FOR NOMINATIONS.

David Murray, a nephew of ex-Governor Murray, and at present manager of the Rocky Mountain Bell Telephone Company of this city, has been indicted on a charge of forfeiture by the Grand Jury, the offense being that a Miss Polly Berry, formerly employed at the Central telephone station.

THE DANGERS OF STREET CARS.

A Passenger Has a Merciless Escape From Serious Injury, or Death.

The carelessness of a conductor on the Rapid Transit Railroad yesterday afternoon very nearly cost a passenger his life. Instead of placing the movable wire screen on the side nearest to the huge poles to which the trolley wires are strung, he simply let it lie room on the opposite side, and this was the cause of the trouble. The gentleman in question—who at present declines to give his name—about 3:30 got upon a single seat First street car which ascending the hill between the Theatre and Eagle Gate, had just begun to slacken on the platform his foot fell to the ground, and he attempted to step down. Fortunately the car was going very slowly at the time, for as he was in the act of alighting his head came in violent contact with one of the posts, momentarily stunning him, throwing his right eye and badly bruising his back and shoulder. When the accident happened the conductor was at the further end of the car, but the driver of another car which was following closely behind it remarked to the gentleman upon the narrow escape he had had. This sort of negligence on the part of the company's employees should no longer be allowed to go on, and unless those in authority see to it, the company will soon see long penalty suits for damages brought against it. It is quite time this sort of thing was inquired into. It is becoming a common occurrence.

A Murderous Attack.

Thieves, thugs, wouldbe assassins and all classes of criminals are again infesting this city. Pedestrians are held up nightly by desperate highwaymen and relieved of their personal effects, while homes are burglarized in the broad light of day. The perpetrators are seldom captured.

Last night conductor Shanks of the Union Pacific, while on his way home from the depot, was held up by a brace of burly footpads who commanded him to hand over his valuables to them. He refused to do so and one of his assailants swallowed a knife and followed up the struggle to take his body, but he escaped unharmed, while the thugs made good their escape.

A HEROIC WIFE.

Pathetic Story of the Death of Judge U. G. Wemer.

The Standard this morning publishes the following thrilling account of the death of Judge U. G. Wemer on Fremont Island:

"But few of the many friends who knew Judge U. G. Wemer during his stay in the army endeared by his wife and family, will regret his untimely end for two days afterwards. He is a cultured lady and a second heard that she was forced to go through with the ordeal. The Judge had come to Fremont Island some four years ago for his health, and his wife has hurried to well from the south for his sake during those four years. During his stay on the island he was in the habit of rowing on the river with his sons, where his wife would meet and attend to his wants. On Friday, the third sons had been allowed to go and a hired girl has been retained at the house. Judge Wemer and the sons left. The girl was afraid of superstitious and has little help was received from her. Mrs. Wemer, fearing that the wound received during the last of her husband's wounds, wrapped and so assistance, decided to a crowd spoke to the need of America's dead son. On Saturday the Judge's sons returned. They came the sole trying scene of all. The husband had expressed a desire to be buried on the island and his faithful wife had promised to heed his request. The grave was prepared and, carried by despair, she sided in lowering into the silent tomb what had been now dear to her—he for whom she had left kindred and wealth and chosen the island for a home.

Parowan Stake Conference.

The quarterly conference of the Parowan Stake convened in Cedar City Tabernacle, September 26th and 27th, 1891.

There were present on the stand Apostle Francis M. Lyman, Presiding Bishop William B. Preston, of Salt Lake Stake; President Jesse W. Crosby, of Panguitch stake; President Thomas J. Jones, Commissioner Morgan Richards, Jr., and Francis Webster, members of the High Council and the Bishops from every ward in the Stake.

The following standing committees were appointed: President Thomas J. Jones offered a few remarks. He reported the prosperity of the Parowan Stake, and discussed some signs the times.

The speaking during the conference was by Apostle Francis M. Lyman, Bishop Wm. B. Preston, Morgan Richards, Jr., Jesse W. Crosby and Francis Webster. The subjects discussed upon were words of wisdom, tithing, grading and schooling of the Latter-Day Saints, settling of good examples, theological training of the youth, duties of parents towards their children, and duties of the Saints generally.

The Stake statistical report was read and the general and local authorities presented and sustained by vote.

The usual Priesthood meeting was held in the afternoon, several business pertaining to the Stake transacted.

The Bishops' reports indicated that the Saints were in a very fair condition. The meetings during the Conference were well attended, and a good spirit prevailed throughout.

Conference adjourned for three months to meet in Parowan.

WILLIAM H. HUNTER, Stake Clerk.

Students' Society.

No public session of the Students' society of the Latter-day Saints College will be held on Friday evening of this week.

A session of members of the institution will take place on that evening, instead to their meeting from the social Hall.

Former students may obtain tickets of admission at $1 each.

Make application at the hall.

J. J. WALTON, Chairman.

Amusements.

"Louis XI" was given last evening at the Salt Lake Theatre by the Keene Company to a fair audience Mr. Keene's condition of the every, superstitious, tyrannical old, dotard fully realizes all that has been said of him in his character. It far surpasses his Richelieu, but it is in "Richard III" that he reaches the acme of his fame as an actor. Whenever would in Keene at his best, should see the whole play. It is in that the full strength of his forceful genius displays itself. Keene's portraiture of Louis XI is so vivid, so natural, so lifelike, that the person who has studied the life of that monarch, the presentation last night recalled the old king in all his lineaments, his moods, his caprices and superstitious fallacies.

The carpet last evening was varied, the "Merchant of Venice" will be given and tomorrow night "Richard III." This closes the Keene engagement.

Fanny Davenport will be seen in Barrett's great play "Cleopatra" Wednesday and Thursday and Saturday matinee. Fanny "Fedora" will be given. The present season is unlikely to produce a more interesting event, theatrically speaking, than the appearance of Fanny Davenport at the Theatre next week as the heroine of M. Sardou's "Fedora." If experts know rare events for sight they will see in Miss Davenport's impersonation of "Fedora" the very greatest dramatic work of her career. Her entire press of this country is unanimous in saying that in this role she has fairly won a place among the greatest impersonations of our time. Saturday night "La Tosca."

A Blaze at North.

Last night, at about four o'clock, a fire broke out near the kitchen chimney in the house of Mr. Brizzo, at North, Utah. It was found impossible to put out the fire, but most of the household goods were saved. The stove was so hot that it and some of the furniture could not be moved out. The wind blew hard and soon consumed the wooden portion of the premises where the fire started and filled the other part with smoke.

A SECRET SOCIETY.

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LATEST TELEGRAMS.

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The Murder of the Chinese at Snake River.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 30.—Vice-Consul-Gen. of the Chinese legation here has just received from Wells Walla the statement of Hugh McMillan, which throws light on the murder of thirty-two Chinese miners on Snake River April 1887. McMillan makes the statement when was given to him by his son Robert, sixteen years of age, just before the boy's death. Young McMillan, Bruce Evans, Hiram Maynard, Carl Hughes, "Lilac" Caldell, Max Lamb and Frank Vanpyrum formed a cattle camp near Snake River when some one suggested that they clean out the Chinese camp on the Snake River. Armed with revolvers and Winchesters they surprised the camp and killed twelve Chinese. All the bodies were thrown into the river. They obtained over $1000 in gold dust. Then they discovered eight Chinese coming down the river. These they ambushed and murdered and threw the bodies into the river. Not content with this, they started up the river to another Chinese camp where fifteen men were working, and the same bloody work was repeated. The murdered Chinese could offer no resistance. All were shot and their bodies were cast into the river. Here the bodies found about $10,000, which they divided. The scene of murder was in Walden county, Oregon. The Consul Gen. will do all in his power to track down the murderers and secure indemnity for bloodsmity.

Cholera in China.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 30.—Fearful reports of the cholera epidemic have been received from China. For the past month the death rate in Fee Chow has been very high.

Military Collisions.

AKRON, Ohio, Sept. 30.—A freight trainman on the New York, Pennsylvania & Ohio, collided with a passenger train near Kent, early this morning. Five persons were killed including the engineer and fireman, and thirty were injured. The passenger train was overloaded with people from the members of the Ohio family who were going to a reunion at Bennington, Vermont.

Revolution in Brazil.

PARIS, Sept. 30.—*Le Matin* today says the revolutionary agitation in several provinces of Brazil is causing great anxiety in Portuguese circles. In many places the troops have mutinied and the government must adopt strong measures, if it hopes to maintain order.

An Assignment.

CINCINNATI, Ky., Sept. 30.—The Bellevue Brewing Company has assigned. Assets, $100,000; liabilities, $75,000.

An English Officer Reported Killed by Ressians.

BERLIN, Sept. 30.—In spite of repeated denials a rumor is persistently circulated to the effect that Russians killed Captain Youngbusband in Pamir.

London Items.

LONDON, Sept. 30.—Albertusk Evans has been elected to succeed Searry as lord mayor of London.

Punchy, a society paper, says Sir William Vernon Harcourt's eyesight is failing.

The Pope Sick.

BERLIN, Sept. 30.—Private telegrams say that the feebleness of the Pope has seriously increased, and that his condition causes alarm.

BOULANGER DEAD.

He Commits Suicide on the Grave of his Paramour.

BRUSSELS, Sept. 30.—General Boulanger has committed suicide.

The suicide occurred at the house of Mme. de Bonnemaine, his mistress, who died here recently. Boulanger committed suicide about midnight on the tomb of his mistress by the grave of his mistress for some time when an attendant who stood near by suddenly heard a sharp report in that direction. Rushing to the spot the attendant found General Boulanger lying dead upon the ground with a revolver concealed in his right hand. The autopsy of the body showed that the dead man had placed the weapon to his right side and fired the shot.

The affair caused great excitement here and some commotion among the general's followers in Paris. The general's death leaves the Boulanger party without a leader. Thus ends the career of a man who once had the world at his feet. The general's position, financial and political, has been getting blacker and blacker recently. He had no money for the future, and his remaining friends were few and badly becoming colder. The news of his death has dropped more and more out of public notice.

There is no doubt the general was conscious of these facts, and they must have had a great weight in his determination to end his life. Attention which he had for his dead mistress, to whom he undoubtedly was greatly attached.

Minister Hirsch's Leave of Absence.

PARIS, Sept. 30.—After Hirsch, the American Minister to Turkey, had left this city on a leave of absence for the purpose of visiting America, he had several conferences with the leading bankers in this city in regard to the measure to be adopted to better the condition of the Russian Jewish refugees.

Hirsch sailed for New York Saturday last. He was accompanied by his family. Upon his arrival at New York, he will start immediately for Washington. Afterward he will go to his home in Oregon.

The Revolution in Guatemala.

NEW YORK, Sept. 30.—The following was published here this morning from the City of Mexico: A dispatch received in this city from Newton, his Tuesday afternoon, says a thousand armed men are marching from Quetzaltenango to the city of Guatemala, which is still under martial law. The work of executing the men who took part in the recent revolt still continues.

Highest of all Leavening Power.—U. S. Gov't Report, Aug. 17, 1889.

Royal Baking Powder

ABSOLUTELY PURE

A Train Robbery.

UTICA, N. Y., Sept. 30.—A special American express train, due here this morning, was robbed between here and Little Falls. The robber brought the train to a stand still a mile east of this city, by applying the air brake, and then escaped. It is not known how much money was taken. The robber was masked.

Five Thousand Dollars Gone.

WATSONVILLE, Cal., Sept. 30.—P. W. Hatch, a member of the Pacific Express Co., is missing and two packages containing little over $5000 are gone.

The German Soldiers Get Rye Again.

LONDON, Sept. 30.—The Chronicle's Berlin correspondent says the issue of all rye bread have been resumed in the German army.

It is Found Stock Lost.

LONDON, Sept. 30.—The British bark "Ava Lynch" sailed from Bremhl, in West Australia, Sept. 8, for Freemantle, same colony, but has not been heard from and it is feared she is lost.

DEATHS.

SMALL.—In the Tenth Ward, this city, September 29th, 1891, of convulsions, Alonzo Sylvester Small, aged one year, eight days. Funeral services Thursday, October 1st, at 1 p.m., from residence, 12 Fourth street. Friends respectfully invited.

BERRYMAN.—In Salt Lake City, September 29th, 1891, at residence, 1004 E. Fourth South street, Mrs. Martha M. Berryman. Services in the tabernacle Thursday, October 1st, at 11 a.m.

MARKETS AND STOCKS.

NEW YORK STOCKS.

New York, Sept. 30, 1891.

Sales		Union Pacific	[illegible]
Money	[illegible]	Tennessee	[illegible]
Sterling	[illegible]	Missouri Pacific	[illegible]
Sterling Cables	[illegible]	Pacific Mail	[illegible]
Sterling Sixes	[illegible]	Western Union	[illegible]
Central Pacific	[illegible]	Chicago Gas	[illegible]
Denver & R. G.	[illegible]	Lake Shore	[illegible]
Illinois Central	[illegible]	Texas Pacific	[illegible]
Lake Shore	[illegible]	Louisville & Nash.	[illegible]
Louisville & N.	[illegible]	Kansas & Texas	[illegible]
Northern Pacific	[illegible]	Pacific Express	[illegible]
Northern Pacific, pf.	[illegible]	Western Union	[illegible]

Bonds: Stock, Mon. & South Western bonds steady.

W. D. Howard has removed to 51 E. First South street, where he is carrying a choice stock of vegetables, fruits, groceries, fish and poultry, and would be pleased to have all his old customers call on him. d1m

NOTICE.

Wholesale and Retail patrons will kindly remember that our store will be closed from sundown on Friday next until sundown Saturday, on account of the Jewish New Year.

F. AUERBACH & BRO.

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ON SATURDAY, Oct. 3rd, at 10 a.m., the Pacific Express Co. will commence to sell at auction, No. 45 Main Street, nearly opposite E. C. M. I., a large number of packages, boxes, valises, trunks, blankets and other miscellaneous matter which remains on hand unclaimed, and continue each sale morning to day until all has been disposed of. Good bargains can be had at these sales.

E. A. ANDREWS,
Auctioneer.

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The Pores and Hair.

A fellow known to medical science are used in preparing Hood's Sarsaparilla. Every ingredient is carefully selected, personally examined, and only the best retained. The medicine is prepared under the supervision of a thoroughly competent pharmacists, and every step in the process of manufacture is carefully watched with a view to securing in Hood's Sarsaparilla the best possible result.

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We desire to say to our citizens, that for years we have been selling Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Dr. King's New Life Pills, Bucklen's Arnica Salve and Electric Bitters, and have never handled remedies that sell as well, or that have given such universal satisfaction. We do not hesitate to guarantee them every time, and we stand ready to refund the purchase price if satisfactory results do not follow their use. These remedies have won their great popularity purely on their merits. A. C. Ireland & Co., druggists.

FOR RENT.

A NEW FOUR ROOMED HOUSE SITUATED at No. 8, West Temple Street. Inquire on premises. d1

LOST.

AT FARMINGTON, ON MONDAY MORNING, while hunting the C. P. pasture, a black, white, mottled setter dog. Finder will please return to Farmington and receive reward. d1

DR. PRICE'S Cream Baking Powder.

Used in Millions of Homes—40 Years the Standard.

A Pure Cream of Tartar Powder. Superior to every other known.

Delicious Cake and Pastry, Light Flaky Biscuit, Griddle Cakes, Palatable and Wholesome. No other baking powder does such work.

Shot in a Canoe Race.

That the skill of the canoe sailor has more to do with the winning of races than oar speed or shape of hull has been proved again and again. A canoe designed by W. P. Stephens for the century of the New York Canoe club contains differing from anything before produced but sailed in a number of the local New York race boats. This canoe is a perfect piece of work, so far as construction goes—smooth, fair and well proportioned. Its peculiar feature is a very deep, thin underwater body affording almost the same wetted surface as a good place in the canoe when fairly sail trimmed unless something breaks—which has been a failure too common experience of late. A strong and handy rig in the hands of a clever sailor will often beat an old canoe over the finishing line for in the lead. The races during June on Hendon lake, near London, England, illustrated this principle very clearly. The winner was the only survivor of a fleet of six in one race. All the other canoes either upset or broke down.—Hull and Puddle.

A Big Year for Fruit.

Fruit has not been so plentiful and so cheap for many seasons as it is this year. For the past month the fruit stands have been piled with high juicy Bartlett pears and delicious, very peaches, and now grapes are making their appearance. All are unusually cheap, too, and the demand is larger than it has been for years. A boating Fulton street dealer said the other day that he had sold a golden harvest this summer. "How is that?" I asked. "Why" he replied, "there is no plentiful that I can keep the prices down; and so long as such splendid pears and peaches and melons and plums as these are cheap everybody who can afford it is going to enjoy them. Last year the poorer class of my customers didn't get any fruit, nor did they the year before. They couldn't afford to buy it, and they wouldn't have done so if they could, for there was no fruit worth having at any price. This year there's any amount of it, and it's all right. Everybody is having fruit that after being denied it for such a long time, and consequently, as I said before, we dealers are reaping a rich harvest."

Cost of Filtering Air.

The air of the house of commons was filtered last winter at a cost of sixty pounds for each week, and there are two or three hundred pounds originally spent on the steam that washed the fine that drove the air in. The lungs of voters would need some six feet thick, and had to be changed three times, the outer layer in a very short time becoming black and full of an oily and sooty substance, with the smell of a very bad fog, though the inorganic particles had been removed by passing the air through water.

On one occasion the filter had to be removed after only forty-eight hours' use, a dense fog having lasted the whole of that time. This information was given to a parliamentary committee by Mr. William Lee, the engineer in charge of the engineer's office of works.—London Tit-Bits.

Shot in His Coffin.

There has just died at St. Joseph's hospital, in Chippewa Falls, an scientific criminal called Andreas Lorenz. He was born in 1861 in Lower Bavaria. His trade was a worker in wooden, which he learned in the piano factory in Munich. Perhaps so rare in the United States has acquired the skill in executing masterpieces and escaping the police. About ten years ago he built a repair shop, in which he lived, doing his own cooking, for he was never married. He manufactured a beautiful coffin containing a different kind of wood, in which he slept despite the premonitions of intimate friends.—Chicago Herald.

Matthew Marshall says the stock gambling market is dominated completely by sentiment; that real values have little or nothing to do with it. Nothing happens, nothing comes to light that was not known a month before, yet all at once the stampede begins, "and men are thinking over one another to buy things which, yesterday or day before yesterday, they would not look at."